Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 27 Aug 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 28 Aug 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 27 Aug 2022 at 03:03 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for mainly dry and settled conditions through the coming days with a ridge of high pressure building south across Scotland.

Headline for Saturday 27 Aug 2022: Mainly dry with sunny spells.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 27 Aug 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
<05%	10%	10%	<05%	<05%	10%

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Weather: Any remaining patchy rain in the east soon clearing then a dry night with clear spells. Then a bright day with some good spells of sunshine around, however eastern parts look rather cloudier for a time in the morning with the odd light shower possible. Cloud increases from the west in the evening with some rain in the far west possible towards midnight.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Around 75% for a time through the morning in the east, otherwise close to 100%.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional cloud above about 750m possible for a time through the morning in the east, otherwise little or no cloud expected below the summits. Otherwise visibility generally very good or excellent.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	8/10 SE	8/11 S	5/8 SW	4/7 W	4/6 N	3/5 SE	5/6 SE
900	4/5 E	3/5 NE	5/7 N	5/7 NW	6/8 N	4/6 S	3/5 S
600	3/4 SE	3/5 N	3/6 W	4/6 NW	5/7 N	4/6 S	2/3 S
300	2/5 NE	2/3 NW	3/6 NW	4/7 NE	4/9 NE	2/4 NE	1/3 S
Glen	1/4 N	2/5 NE	3/7 S	4/8 NE	4/8 NE	3/5 N	1/3 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	6/3	7/4	8/7	10/9	9/8	7/6	7/5
900	8/7	9/8	10/9	12/12	11/10	10/9	9/9
600	9/8	10/10	13/12	15/14	14/13	12/11	11/11
300	11/10	12/12	16/16	18/17	16/15	13/13	12/12
Glen	9/10	13/14	17/17	18/18	16/16	13/13	12/12
Freezing Level*	2000m	1900m	2000m	2200m	2600m	2700m	2700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Valley temperatures rising to around plus 20 Celsius.

Forecast for Sunday 28 Aug 2022
Weather: Rather cloudy through the early hours with occasional, mainly light, rain. Any remaining overnight rain soon clearing to leave a bright day with sunny spells developing, just the outside chance of a light shower across the south of the area.

Maximum wind: Variable winds less than 10mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Around 40% at first but soon becoming 75%.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods of cloud above 450-600m overnight and at first on Sunday morning soon becoming occasional cloud above about 750m.

Temperature: **Glens:** Around plus 8 or 9 Celsius at dawn rising to plus 20 Celsius by day.
At 800m: Around plus 9 Celsius rising to plus 13 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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